

**TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE**



FISCAL NOTE

HB 522 - SB 613

February 14, 2017

SUMMARY OF BILL: Requires any duly licensed and registered dentist who uses general anesthesia, deep sedation, or conscious sedation in that dentist's practice, and any dental facility in which general anesthesia, deep sedation, or conscious sedation is administered by a dentist, to prominently display permits at all times in the dental facility for patients to view.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumptions:

- These permits are currently required pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. § 63-5-108.
- Any cost incurred for displaying permits will be borne by private parties.
- The Board of Dentistry will not see an increase in permits due to the proposed legislation; therefore, any fiscal impact is not significant.
- Pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. § 4-29-121, all health related boards are required to be self-supporting over a two-year period. The Board of Dentistry had an annual surplus of \$307,396 in FY14-15, an annual surplus of \$253,054 in FY15-16, and a cumulative reserve balance of \$4,232,275 on June 30, 2016.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

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Krista M. Lee, Executive Director

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